



UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
DISTRICT OF NEW JERSEY

CHAMBERS OF
JOEL SCHNEIDER
UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE

UNITED STATES COURTHOUSE
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**LETTER ORDER
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**Re: Melville v. Spark Energy, Inc., et al.
Civil No. 15-8706 (RBK/JS)**

Dear Counsel:

The Court received defendants' recent letter. The Court is not surprised defendants dispute the accusations in plaintiff's recent letter. The Court has no intention of refereeing the parties' dispute. The Court expects the professional and able counsel in the case to sit down and work out their differences to the maximum extent possible. The Court acknowledges parties can act in good faith and still not agree on all issues. However, there is no excuse for the failure to timely communicate with each other and to exhaust all reasonable efforts to achieve a fair resolution of a dispute. The parties' remaining disputes will be resolved at the June 20, 2017 conference.

The Court has no patience for stalling, excuses and name calling. Discovery will proceed in an expeditious and economical manner. Further, all provisions of the Court's March 10, 2017 [Doc. No. 36] Order remain in effect.

Very truly yours,

s/Joel Schneider

JOEL SCHNEIDER
United States Magistrate Judge

JS:jk

cc: Hon. Robert B. Kugler